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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE: BOARD OF PHARMACY

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, October 21, 2015 9:30 am

PLACE: Conference Room A, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Cannon Building

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, DE 19904

APPROVED: November 18, 2015

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Susan Esposito, R.Ph., Professional Member, President
Hooshang Shanehsaz, R.Ph., Professional Member, Vice President
Kimberly Robbins, R.Ph., Professional Member
Tejal Patel, PharmD, Professional Member
Bonnie Wallner, R.Ph., Professional Member
Joli Martini, R.Ph., Professional Member
Julia Wheatley, Public Member
Jay Galloway, Public Member

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Kenneth Sellers, Public Member

# **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General Christine Mast, Administrative Specialist III Michelle McCreary, Pharmacist Compliance Officer

#### **ALSO PRESENT**

Bill Irvin

Debbie Hamilton

Jeff Timmerlin

Jeff Lentowski

Harish Chhibba

**Brenda Matthews** 

Jay Patel

Blair Heckel

Amy Bixler

Jaime Frink

Kevin Morgan

Joseph P Peoples

Jen Raiby

Andrew Wilson

Judy Balcombe

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Esposito called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

## **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Wheatley, to approve the meeting minutes for September 16, 2015. Ms. Martini abstained, the motion carried.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

No Report

# **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

# Complaint Status

- 13-09-11 Assigned to Hearing Officer
- 13-12-11 Assigned to Hearing Officer
- 13-19-11 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-01-13 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-04-13 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-05-13 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-06-13 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-20-13 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-26-13 Assigned to Hearing Officer
- 13-01-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-03-14 Assigned
- 13-04-14 Assigned
- 13-05-14 Assigned
- 13-06-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-07-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-08-14 Assigned
- 13-09-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-10-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-11-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-12-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-13-14 Assigned
- 13-14-14 Forwarded to Office of Attorney General
- 13-15-14 Assigned
- 13-16-14 Assigned
- 13-17-14 Assigned

#### Re-Review Tabled Application

IV Solutions – a motion to table the application for more information was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Ms. Patel. The motion unanimously carried.

Trigen Laboratories – a motion to approve the application was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Wallner. The motion unanimously carried.

Empire Specialty Pharmacy – a motion to propose to deny the application was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins. The motion unanimously carried

Cantrell Drug Company – a motion to approve the application was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Ms. Wallner. The motion unanimously carried.

A motion to amend the agenda to add the application from Unique Pharmaceutical was made by Ms. Martini and seconded by Mr. Shanehsaz. The motion unanimously carried.

Unique Pharmaceutical - a motion to approve the application was made by Ms. Martini and seconded by Mr. Shanehsaz. The motion unanimously carried.

## Deliberations on Proposed Changes to Regulation 3.8

Ms. Kelly brought the hearing to order. Written comment received during the comment period was entered into the record. Exhibit #1 received on September 25, 2015 from Ms. Lisa Bowe, PharmD in support of the regulation change. Exhibit #2 received on September 29, 2015 from Mr. Christopher Smith, National Association of Chain Drug Stores, Director of Federal Public Policy was not in support of the regulation change. The Board read the exhibits and began deliberations. Mr. Shanehsaz stated that the written comment received from Mr. Smith provided support and corroboration of the Board's decision to change the regulation. The Pharmacist-In-Charge is not in control of the staffing budget for the pharmacy, which makes the current regulation useless in providing the Pharmacist-In-Charge regulatory support with regard to staffing. Changing the regulation to make the facility licensee holder responsible for required staffing provides a means for the pharmacist to file a complaint if the required staffing is not provided. This regulatory requirement is also reviewed during pharmacy inspections completed by the Pharmacy Compliance officer. A motion to approve the proposed regulation 3.8 as written was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins. The motion unanimously carried.

## Statutory and Regulatory Discussion

- Practitioner/Pharmacy Ownership No Report
- Provision for Disciplinary Action No Report
- Pharmacy Technician Regulation No Report
- Clarification of §2512(e)(f), Inactive Status No Report
- Review of Crimes Listing currently in review by the legislative committee

## **NEW BUSINESS**

# Public Hearing Proposed Changes to Regulation 5.1.7

Ms. Kelly called the hearing to order. The Board members introduced themselves for the record. The purpose of the hearing is for the board to consider adoption of proposed amendments to rules and regulations. The proposed changes affect regulation 5.1.7. Ms. Kelly submitted exhibits of public hearing notices that were published in the Delaware State News and the News Journal. Written comment was received from Road Runner Pharmacy which included a letter from AVMA sent to FDA Center for Veterinary Medicine. Comment was presented from Andrew Wilson; Medical Society of Delaware. He stated the Medical Society was in support of the proposed changes. The written comment period will be held open for an additional 15 days. Ms. Kelly asked that deliberations of proposed regulations be added to the November 18, 2015 agenda.

## Ms. Esposito read into the record the following ratifications:

| Pharmacist: | A1-0004835 | Bhumy Brandon Dicorato  |
|-------------|------------|-------------------------|
|             | A1-0004836 | Alena S. Tarabrina      |
|             | A1-0004837 | Elizabeth Wathiri Ikiki |

Pharmacist and Intern Licensure Approval Ratifications

A1-0004838 Jason H. Chan A1-0004839 Chelsey M. McIntyre A1-0004840 Bozena Karwowska

A1-0004841 Deenaz A Narvel A1-0004842 Joseph A. Lofaro

A1-0004843 Sara Elizabeth Knoll A1-0004844 Joseph Michael Mulroy

A1-0004845 Ghislain Ketcha Tchemy

A1-0004846 Christopher J. Duffy

A1-0004847 Tameko Janelle Roberson

A1-0004848 Kirbie D. Hanlon A1-0004849 Jade V. English A1-0004850 Lauren Emilee Ruf

A1-0004851 Brittany Lynn Coleman

A1-0004852 Betsy George Daniel

A1-0004853 Amanda Benak
A1-0004854 Robert Y. Scharr
A1-0004855 Melissa G. Covert
A1-0004856 Quynh Nhu Thi Dao
A1-0004857 Palmer T. Wetzel, III
A1-0004858 Patrick Daniel Baker
A1-0004859 Matthew J. Lord
A1-0004860 Michael C. Dejos

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Pharmacist applications. The motion unanimously carried.

Pharmacist Intern: A7-0002404 Cavan P. O'Kane

A7-0002405 Harish Chhibba A7-0002406 Robert M Bond A7-0002407 Komal V. Prajapati

## Non-Resident Pharmacy Licensure Approval Ratifications

A9-0001704 Jay Pharmacy of Jay Fla, Inc.

A9-0001705 Barnes Healthcare of Florida, LLC

A9-0001706 Community Surgical Supply of Toms River, Inc.

A9-0001707 Hopkinton Drug. Inc.

A9-0001708 Liberty Medical, LLC d/b/a Liberty Medical Supply

A9-0001709 Catamaran Home Delivery

A9-0001710 BriovaRx

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A9-0001712 Burman's Media Pharmacy, LLC

A9-0001713 Burman's Apothecary, LLC

A9-0001714 Omnicare Pharmacies of Pennsylvanina West LLC DBA Omnicare of Pittsburgh

A9-0001715 Heartland Pharmacy of Pennsylvania, LLC

A9-0001716 Infinite Care Development LLC

A9-0001717 Omni Pharmacy Services, LLC

A9-0001718 Alvarez Pharmacy & Discount Inc

A9-0001719 RepublicRx Specialty Pharmacy

A9-0001720 Pharmacy Consultants, LLC

A9-0001721 DIVVYMED, LLC dba DIVVYDOSE

A9-0001722 OnePoint Patient Care

A9-0001723 DeliverCareRx Pharmacy

A9-0001724 Hollis Prescription Center, Inc.

A9-0001725 US Specialty Care, LLC

A9-0001726 Infiniti Pharmacy and Infusion Services, Inc.

A9-0001727 Pentec Health, Inc.

A9-0001728 Hospital Pharmaceutical Consulting

A9-0001729 Halsted Pharmacy

A9-0001730 Liberty for All Pharmacy 2, Inc.

A9-0001731 PersonifilRx, LLC

A9-0001732 AxelaCare Health Solutions, LLC

A9-0001733 Heartland Healthcare Services, LLC

A9-0001734 Serguinox LLC dba AxelaCare

A9-0001735 AxelaCare Health Solutions, LLC

A9-0001736 US Med. LLC

A9-0001737 Advanced Rx Pharmacy 060

A9-0001738 Center City Pharmacy

A9-0001739 Mission Pharmacy

A9-0001740 Opus RX

# A9-0001741 Glen Rx Drugs, Inc dba Astro Pharmacy

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Non-Resident Pharmacy applications. The motion unanimously carried.

## Wholesale Distributor Licensure Approval Ratifications

| PharMedium Services, LLC                              |
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| APL Logistics Warehouse Management Services, Inc      |
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| Blessings International                               |
| Legacy Pharmaceutical Packaging, LLC                  |
| Pharmacia & Upjohn Company LLC                        |
| Letco Medical LLC                                     |
| Cerilliant Corporation                                |
| Synergy Rx Express, LLC                               |
| Unique Pharmaceuticals LTD                            |
| Cardinal Health dba Specialty Pharmaceutical Services |
| PureTek Corporation                                   |
| Exel Inc.   |
| Sigma Aldrich, Inc.                                   |
| QuVa Pharma, Inc.                                     |
| Cardinal Health dba Metro Medical Supply              |
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A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Wholesale Distributor applications. The motion unanimously carried.

#### Medical Gas Dispensers

A2-0000136 Sleepcircle

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Medical Gas Dispenser applications. The motion unanimously carried.

## Retail Pharmacy Licensure Approval Ratification

A3-0000990 Shayona Health Inc. DBA Greenhill Pharmacy

A3-0000991 Nanticoke Pharmacy, LLC

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Retail Pharmacy applications. The motion unanimously carried.

## Retail Pharmacy Temporary Licensure Approval Ratification

None

## **Outsourcing Facility**

AA-0000014 SCA Pharmaceuticals, LLC
AA-0000013 Avella of Deer Valley
AA-0000015 QuVa Pharma, Inc.
AA-0000000 Pharmadium Services LLC

AA-0000009 PharMedium Services, LLC

A motion was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Robbins to approve the ratification of the Outsourcing Facility applications. The motion unanimously carried.

## Pharmacist-In-Charge Interviews

Ms. Robbins conducted PIC interviews with:

Brenda Matthews, CVS #3042 Bear, DE

Judy Balcombe, Walgreens #11078 New Castle, DE

## **Board Review of Consent Agreement**

Gerard Mengang, a motion to approve the Consent Agreement as written was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Ms. Martini. Ms. Esposito recused herself and the motion carried.

#### Board Review of Applications by DAG

Care 4 L.P., a motion to approve was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Ms. Wallner. The motion carried.

Advanced Care Scripts, a motion to approve was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Mr. Shanehsaz. The motion carried.

Jack P Herick Inc. d/b/a: Glade Drugs, a motion to approve was made by Mr. Galloway and seconded by Mr. Shanehsaz. The motion carried.

BDI, Inc., a motion to approve was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Mr. Galloway. The motion carried.

ASCO Healthcare, LLC. d/b/a Omni Care of Salisbury, a motion to approve was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Ms. Martini. The motion carried.

ASCO Healthcare, LLC. d/b/a Omni Care of Annapolis Junction, a motion to approve was made by Ms. Robbins and seconded by Ms. Martini. The motion carried.

Zishan S Khan, a motion to approve was made by Mr. Shanehsaz and seconded by Mr. Galloway. The motion carried.

## Continuing Education Approval

None

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Legislative - Joli Martini, Jay Galloway, Kim Robbins, Tejal Patel, Hooshang Shanehsaz and David Dryden

The committee continues to review the current crimes listing in comparison to similar healthcare professions. The next scheduled meeting will be on November 18, 2015 immediately following the Board of Pharmacy meeting.

**Continuing Education** — Joli Martini, Bonnie Wallner, Tejal Patel and David Dryden:

Ms. Robbins informed the Board that DPS would be offering continuing education courses on October 30, 2015.

Consumer Affairs - Ken Sellers, Jay Galloway and Julia Wheatley

No Report

**Professional Liaisons – Kim Robbins and Tejal Patel:** 

No Report

**Controlled Substance Liaisons –** Kenneth Sellers, Tejal Patel, Jay Galloway and David Dryden:

Mr. Shanehsaz reported that the Controlled Substance Committee is continuing its work on "Safe Opioid Prescribing" regulations.

Patient Safety Committee - Michelle McCreary (Chair), Kenneth Sellers, Tejal Patel, Kimberly Robbins, Susan Esposito, Joli Martini, Hooshang Shanehsaz, Jay Patel

Ms. McCreary reported the committee met prior to today's meeting. The committee is continuing its work reviewing disciplinary actions for violation of statute. They will be shifting their discussion to the PMP and reporting of all non-scheduled drugs.

#### COMMITEE UPDATES REGARDING PROPOSED REGULATIONS

Collaborative Care Committee — Bonnie Wallner, Cheri Briggs, Cheryl Heiks, Drew Wilson, Deborah Hamilton, Joli Martini, Julie Miro-Wenger, Mark Thompson, Mike Perza, Nick Biasotto, Pooja Dogra, Tejal Patel, Terri Corbo, William Harbester, David Dryden:

Mr. Shanehsaz stated that he contacted Ms. Julie Miro-Wenger and she responded by email stating there have been no meetings held since prior to May of this year. She also stated that Pharmacists believe that there is no legislation that prevents them from working in a collaborative manner. Therefore we have stopped pushing the issue. Mr. Shanehsaz strongly feels as though this is still a very important issue that should be reviewed and resolved. Mr. Shanehsaz stated that in 48 states, pharmacists' scope of practice allows for collaborative practice agreements (CPA's) with prescribers. Delaware is not one of them. Mr. Shanehsaz stated that collaborative care provides a means to service underserved areas. This would be very beneficial here in the state. Mr. Shanehsaz suggests that the committee be reactivated in the near future to assist with providing changes in collaborative care for Delaware.

## **BOARD CORRESPONDENCE**

None

# <u>EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, INSPECTION & PMP REPORT - David Dryden, Michelle McCreary, Samantha Nettesheim</u>

Mr. Dryden was not available to attend this meeting. He was away attending the National Association of States Controlled Substance Authorities (NASCSA) conference at this time.

Ms. McCreary reported that she has completed the following inspections:

- 2 Opening Inspections
- 2 Remodel Inspection
- 1 Medical Gas Dispenser Inspection
- 3 Re-Inspections related to violations
- 1 Wholesale Distributor Inspection
- 1 Assisted the FDA with Routine Sterile Compounding Inspection over a 3 day period

## **NEWSLETTER UPDATES**

Newsletter will be published on November 15, 2015

## OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

None

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mr. Jeff Lentowski wanted to know how the board defines "fully trained technician"? The Board responded by referring Mr. Lentowski to Regulation 19 of the Boards rules and regulations. Mr. Lentowski asked what the repercussion of the new regulation would be. The Board responded by stating that if staffing issues arise a complaint should be filed with the Division of Professional Regulation against the facility licensee for non-compliance of Pharmacy regulation. This is all contingent upon the approval of proposed regulations changes to regulation 5.1.7.

#### **NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for November 18, 2015 at 9:30 Am., Conference Room A 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

## <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

There being no other business before the Board a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Ms. Martini, and seconded by Mr. Shanehsaz at 11:22 am. The motion unanimously carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Mast Administrative Specialist III Liaison, Board of Pharmacy